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In Merida there were present September 30, 2 cases of yellow fever, both isolated in private residences. Beginning with the first case of this season there have been 13 cases since August 22 and 7 deaths. All these cases originated in Merida. All usual measures are being enforced against the disease.

Period from October 1 to October 10:

Vessels inspected, 4; fumigated, 3; members of crews, 193; passengers, 26.

Sanitary conditions without important change for this port; yellow fever in Merida, with 2 new cases, making 4 cases present on October 8 and 15 cases since August 23 last.

*Report from Tumpico—Inspection and fumigation of vessels.*

Acting Assistant Surgeon Stowe reports, October 7:

Week ended October 6:

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|--|-----|
| Vessels inspected and passed .....                   | 8   |
| Bills of health issued .....                         | 8   |
| Members of crews of outgoing vessels inspected ..... | 241 |
| Passengers of outgoing vessels inspected .....       | 14  |
| Vessels fumigated prior to sailing .....             | 1   |

No cases of quarantinable diseases occurred during the week.

*Reports from Veracruz—Yellow fever.*

Acting Assistant Surgeon Jacobs reports:

October 19. One new case yellow fever reported to-day.

October 20. Two new cases yellow fever reported to-day.

NICARAGUA.

*Report from Bluefields, fruit port—Few Stegomyia calopus present.*

Acting Assistant Surgeon Layton reports:

Five days ended October 7. Present officially estimated population, 2,500. General sanitary condition of this port and the surrounding country during the week, good. Few mosquitoes present; scarcely any *Stegomyia calopus*.

Bills of health issued to the following-named vessel:

| Date.  | Vessel.       | Destination.     | Number of crew. | Number of passengers from this port. | Number of passengers in transit. |
|--------|---------------|------------------|-----------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| Oct. 4 | Dictator..... | New Orleans..... | 19              | 2                                    | 0                                |